

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION

Molly Noga

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 1:24cv161

The Cheesecake Factory
Restaurants, Inc.,

Defendant.

CALENDAR ORDER

Pursuant to the filing of the Rule 26(f) Report by the parties on August 8, 2024 (Doc. 9), this case shall proceed as follows:

1. Telephone Status Conference¹: **September 17, 2024, at 11:00 AM**

ATTENTION: parties shall be prepared to inform the Court of their progress related to Plaintiff's settlement demand and Defendant's response prior to this setting in order to discuss the possibility of setting an early intervention settlement conference.

2. Deadline to file motion for leave to amend the pleadings: **November 1, 2024**
3. Deadline for motions relative to the pleadings: **December 1, 2024**
4. Deadline for disclosure of expert witnesses and submission of expert reports²:
Plaintiff disclosure and report of experts: **March 1, 2025**
Defendant disclosure and report of experts: **April 1, 2025**
Disclosure and report of rebuttal experts: **May 2, 2025**
Disclosure of non-expert (fact) witnesses: **March 31, 2025**
5. Discovery to be completed by³: **May 2, 2025**
6. Dispositive motion deadline⁴: **June 6, 2025**

¹ Conferencing instructions to be provided by a separate notice which will follow this Order. These instructions shall be used each time the Court conducts a telephone conference.

² Disclosure of Experts, Expert reports, and non-expert (fact) witnesses are not required to be filed with the Court.

³ Counsel shall not presume that a pending motion stays their obligation to complete discovery by these dates.

⁴ Counsel shall familiarize themselves with the Court's Standing Orders and S.D. Ohio Civ. R. The Court will not read beyond 20

7. Settlement Conference⁵: **July 24, 2025, at 1:00 PM, Room 239**
8. Joint Final Pretrial Order/Jury Instructions: **Submitted to the Court one week prior to the final pretrial conference**
9. Final pretrial conference: **November 5, 2025, at 11:00 AM, by Teleconference**
10. Jury Trial: **January, 2026, Courtroom 109**

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/Michael R. Barrett
Michael R. Barrett, Judge
United States District Court

pages unless leave has been previously sought and granted. This Court requires courtesy copies of all substantive motions be delivered to chambers upon filing.

⁵Special Instructions regarding settlement: 1. All parties must bring their client or a representative with full settlement authority. Failure to follow this requirement will result in sanctions; 2. Each counsel must prepare and submit via hand delivery to the Court or via the chamber=s email address at: barrett_chambers@ohsd.uscourts.gov a letter no longer than five pages one week prior to the conference a synopsis of the case and the status of any settlement negotiations to date. These letters **NEED NOT** be filed with the Clerk's Office nor exchanged with opposing counsel.